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**BY HAND**

Honorable Richard M. Berman  
Judge, United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street - Room 650  
New York, NY 10007

*Any response from the defendants  
should be a single (joint)  
response. I have no problem with an  
adjournment (e.g. 5/15 @ 10:00 AM)  
but it's preferable for all counsel to  
agree to avoid needless "back + forth."*

**SO ORDERED:**

**Date:** 5/9/07 *Richard M. Berman*

**Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.**

Re: Danker, Sellev & Douglas, Inc. v. Joseph Miller and  
General Office Environments, Inc. - 07 Civ. 3563

Dear Judge Berman:

This office represents defendant General Office Environments, Inc. ("GOE"), as New York counsel, in conjunction with GOE's outside counsel Christopher E. Hartmann, Esq., of Wacks & Hartmann, LLC, Morristown, New Jersey.

I am in receipt of the Court's Memo Endorsement of May 8, 2007 on the letter of May 7, 2007 from plaintiff's counsel, Paul P. Rooney, Esq. of ReedSmith LLP. Mr. Hartmann and I intend to submit a formal response to Mr. Rooney's letter, although the primary response will be coming from defendant Joseph Miller, whom we understand is in the process of retaining separate counsel.

I write to request a professional courtesy, and specifically, that the Pre-Motion Conference which Your Honor has scheduled for May 11, 2007 at 10:15 A.M., be adjourned to Monday, May 14 or the earliest possible date thereafter. The reason for this request is that I will be driving Upstate Friday morning to attend my daughter's graduation from Syracuse University this weekend. Since Mr. Hartmann is not admitted to the Bar of the Southern District of New York, and since I will be moving his admission *pro hac vice*, it is essential that I appear at the Pre-Motion Conference on behalf of GOE. I do not believe that in the circumstances, and especially since the proposed adjournment would be over a weekend, plaintiff will be prejudiced by the granting of this request.

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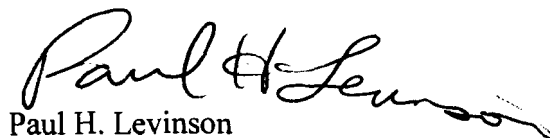
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Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Respectfully yours,

  
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